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Patent No.: 6,788,414 B1
Applicant : Edward S. Yeung, et al.
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For : **METHOD OF ANALYZING MULTIPLE SAMPLE SIMULTANEOUSLY BY
DETECTING ABSORPTION AND SYSTEMS FOR USE IN SUCH A METHOD**

Re: Request for Certificate of Correction

Consideration has been given to your second request for the issuance of a certificate of correction for the above-identified patent under the provisions of Rules 1.322 and 1.322 filed May 4, 2005.

In response to second request for certificate of correction to correct patent, the PTO will not make changes to the dependencies of claims 9 and 17.. The certificate of correction attempts to add new matter and significantly change the scope of the invention claimed, the patent is correct as printed.

In view of the foregoing, your request in this matter is hereby denied.

A certificate of correction will be issued to supersede certificate of correction issued April 19, 2005. The certificate of correction will correct the word "ANS" in the title to read --AND--and also in Column 43, line 15, " $18 \times 10^{-8} \text{ M}$ " to read -- $1.8 \times 10^{-8} \text{ M}$ --.

Further correspondence concerning this matter should be filed and directed to Decisions and Certificates of Correction Branch.

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